

## KNOX IS AGREED UPON

Attorney General Will Succeed M. S. Quay in the U. S. Senate.

## LEADERS ANNOUNCE DECISION

Governor Will Appoint Knox to Serve Out Unexpired Term and Legislature, Unless Complications Arise, Will Elect Him for Full Term.

Philadelphia, June 10.—Philadelphia C. Knox of Pittsburgh, attorney general of the United States, has been selected to fill the seat in the United States senate made vacant by the death of M. S. Quay. He will accept and serve in the senate by appointment of Governor Pennypacker until March 4, the date of expiration of the late senator's commission. Unless political complications should arise he will be elected for the full term by the legislature which meets in January.

The selection of Attorney General Knox came as a surprise to the politicians of the state. Directly after Senator Quay died his name was among those mentioned for the vacancy, but as no one came forth to support it, very little was heard of his candidature during the past week. His name was not considered by Senator Penrose, who, as chairman of the Republican state committee, along with Israel W. Durham, the Philadelphia leader, had the naming of Quay's successor.

H. C. Frick of Pittsburgh, a director of the United States Steel corporation, came to this city and formally announced

considerable constructive legislation on the subject of trusts and combinations of one character or another and in that matter Mr. Knox would be of greater service than perhaps any other man could be.

## CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM.

At the South Side Baptist Church on Sunday. The program has been completed for the observance of Children's Day at the South Side Baptist Church on next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The program is as follows:

Singing, "Send a Blessing" by the school; responsive scripture reading; singing, "Little Deeds" by school; recitation, "The Starless Crown," Bertha Parker; recitation, "The Little Preacher," Sarah McCormick; recitation, "The Blessed Story," Ruth Hanlon; recitation, "When We are Men," Harvey Hannon; recitation by Grace Dyer; duet, Martha McManis and Ruth Hanlon, "Bring Back the Starless Crown;" recitation by Wilbur Bonland; recitation, "The Rose," Helen Buttner; drill by seven young ladies; singing, "Carry Blessings with You" by school; recitation by Elmer Hannon; recitation, "Shine Wherever You Are," Jeannette Miller; song, "Merrily Sing," Helen Buttner; recitation by Elmer Hannon; recitation, "My Gifts," Freda Miller; recitation, "Laugh," Thera Hannon; singing, "Gather Them All for Jesus," by school; recitation, "Spreading the Light for Jesus," primary department; recitation, "My Policeman," Martha McManis; recitation by Ralph Cover; singing, "Be a Little Sunshine," primary department; recitation by Pearl Whitman; recitation by Frank Bonland; song, "June Time," Anna Cohen; recitation by Emma Buttner; recitation by Josephine Stillwagon; singing, "Sweet the Chorus," by school; emblematic production by seven young ladies.



Attorney General P. C. Knox

noted that the attorney general was a candidate for the place and that his name here in Mr. Knox's interest. As the leaders had decided that Allegheny county was to have the place, he thought the leaders could have no objection. This caused considerable agitation in the Pittsburgh delegation, which had already named four men for the vacancy. At first it was expected that Mr. Knox would be opposed, but after a series of conferences the Pittsburgh delegation accepted Mr. Knox and the public announcement of their action soon followed.

Will Be Appointed Today. Senator Penrose, in commenting on Attorney General Knox's selection, said:

"Governor Pennypacker will appoint Mr. Knox today. The attorney general will accept the appointment. Mr. Knox will serve out the unexpired term of the late Senator Quay and will be elected for the full term beginning March 4 next. President Roosevelt approves of Mr. Knox's selection as senator."

"Governor Pennypacker will issue a statement on the matter of an extra session of the legislature, giving his reasons for the position he will take."

"Mr. Knox's record as attorney general of the United States is an excellent one and his statesmanship is of a national character. He will be very helpful to the party in Pennsylvania, and at the approaching election he will aid materially in the election of members of the legislature, especially in close districts. The state committee is arranging for a great mass meeting of the national campaign and at which Mr. Knox will deliver an important speech bearing on the coming national contest."

President Roosevelt Willing. Washington, June 10.—Just before Attorney General Knox left Washington a few days ago he called on the president and told him that he had been tendered the appointment of United States senator to succeed Mr. Quay and that the president was willing he would accept. The president told him that while it was true that probably no other man in the country could fill the position of attorney general as he has filled it, yet he believed that his services in the senate would be exceptionally valuable, not only to the state of Pennsylvania, but to the whole country. The president said that during the next session or two of congress it was a fair assumption that there would be

## TWO ORPHANS CORRALLED.

Runaways From Jumanville School Captured at Washington. Elias Keys, whose home is in Tyro, Pa., and Theodore Weatherhead of Washington, Pa., left the Jumanville Soldiers' Orphans' Home on the mountain top above Uniontown some days ago and were arrested Wednesday at Washington. Constable Morris of Uniontown went after the runaways and passed through town with them in tow last evening.

Keys, aged 13 years, agitated the movement to run away from school. He says he was sent to bed too early and couldn't stand it. The other boy went because Keys went. Both said they expected to get the customary "whalloping" when they arrived at the institution again.

## PEPPER MADE HIM CRAZY.

Strange Predicament of Santa Felicia. An Italian Lad. Santa Felicia, an Italian youth of 20 summers and winters, is in the police station suffering from temporary insanity. His story is a queer one. He says he was lodging in a double room in Sweeney's restaurant when another lodger threw a handful of pepper of some other hot substance into his eyes.

The pain, the boy explains, made him crazy, and he wants to kill himself. Felicia worked at Keaggy's drug store for some months last winter and is a reliable janitor. His case will be investigated.

## DEATH CAME SOON.

Fairchance Man Walked to Hospital and Died Shortly After. Michael Martin, a minor of Fairchance, walked in there Thursday afternoon, ill and on his way to the Uniontown Hospital. He rode to Uniontown on a street car and was then able to walk to the hospital arriving there about 8 o'clock. He continued to grow worse during the night and expired at 6 o'clock this morning. An investigation into the cause of his death is being made.

## Making Their Records.

Lieutenant S. V. Ueh has a squad of Company D men on the rifle range today qualifying in the various grades of marksmanship.



The Donkey—This sort of diet has done more to ruin my constitution than any breakfast food I ever tried. (Mr. Bryan has announced positively that the next Democratic platform will have a Silver Plank.) —News Item.

## CONNELLVILLE ELKS WIN.

From Greensburg Elks by Score of Four to Two in Six Innings.

The Connellville Elks have ball team defeated the Greensburg Elks team at Marietta & Stillwagon park 4 to 2 in a six inning game Thursday afternoon. Up to the eighth half of the last inning Greensburg had them shut out. Then a hit some weakly fielding and a blocked ball by the umpire, with three men on bases resulted in two runs for Greensburg. Greensburg had no trouble disposing of the Greensburg batters. He caught up a little in the last inning but the day was lost for the best of arms. Connellville scored one run in the first inning and three in the third. Greensburg had two runs in the first and three in the third. In his favorite position about three feet inside the third base line. It rolled almost to the fence and on a Friday day would have been a good for three runs. Greensburg had a smaller ball just inside the first base line. The ball going to the right fielder. McElhiney of Greensburg College star, who was one to the middle field fence, when Samuels' fast fielding kept "away" from a base hit. Cherry in left field made a good catch of a ball. A short fly which was thrown up from the home crowd. Eddie Cromer played his usual brilliant game. Tom McElhiney didn't let himself out much, owing to the fact that yesterday was the first game he has pitched in five years. On order to catch the ball, he merely lobbed up slow out curves which in the first four innings were rather easy to solve. John Barclay at short for Greensburg accepted six chances out of seven. He handled his 200 pounds averts like a cat. A return game will be played at Greensburg in a couple of weeks.

## APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT.

Judges' Salary Law Will Go to a Higher Body. Harrisburg, June 9.—The judge's salary law is to reach the supreme court. State Treasurer Harris fought shy of appealing it, but State Treasurer Mathews is not so shy. The refusal of State Treasurer Harris to pay the old judges the salary under the new law caused him to be named by Attorney General Carson. After hearing before Judges Vonnoschick and Bell the court decided that the salary fixed by the new law must be paid to all of the judges, and at the same time declared the law unconstitutional.

That, however, did not result in all getting the higher salary, for Auditor General Snyder refused to issue the warrants until the supreme court passed upon the constitutionality of the law. The matter dragged up all today and today the supreme court, led by Lyman D. Gilbert, filed an appeal. Attorney General Carson will ask the court to hear the argument in Pittsburgh in October instead of waiting until next May in Harrisburg.

Body Awaits Identification. Charlevoix, June 9.—The authorities of Fayette City are endeavoring to ascertain the identity of a young man run down and killed a few days ago by a Pittsburg & Lake Erie train. The body is that of a man apparently about 21 years old, 5 feet 10 inches in height and weighing about 170 pounds. There is a large scar, presumably caused by a scald or burn, just below the right knee. His clothing, which is of a good texture, was purchased at Uniontown.

Fish Warden at Sharon. State Game Warden L. S. Houch, caused the arrest of W. G. Hunter and George Patton at Sharon, Pa. for fishing out of season.

## Firemen in Session.

The Mary and State Firemen's Association is in session at Cumberland this week.

## THE DAY OF THE DOG.

Conflicting Views on This Subject Aired in Court.

## ONE DOG HAD BEEN SHOT.

The Other Said to Have Been Stolen. Disturber of Religious Services Pleaded Guilty—Weapon Carriers Were Fined.

The Durkin case took up much of the time of the Superior court Thursday afternoon. The cause was a religious assembly and the defendant, James Durkin, and the prosecutor, John H. Baker. The Durkin case was a religious assembly and the defendant, James Durkin, and the prosecutor, John H. Baker. The Durkin case was a religious assembly and the defendant, James Durkin, and the prosecutor, John H. Baker.

This plea, however, did not go. Like the a-cage man, Baker became greatly incensed at Barrett and the neighbors or many of them began to hound him. Some held that Barrett did right but to others it was evident that he should be prevented. And he was. The case was tried before the justice and then it went before the grand jury where on March 9 a true bill was found. March 16 it was called for trial and the defendant was found guilty. Then it was his turn. On March 18, motions and reasons for a new trial were filed and it was finally placed on the argument list. April 27 a rule to take depositions was issued, and on May 12 the rule was returned with the depositions attached. As a result the court made an order May 12 granting a new trial.

A number of witnesses were here since Monday to tell what they knew of the case. Barrett was first called and told of the incident. April 27 a rule to take depositions was issued, and on May 12 the rule was returned with the depositions attached. As a result the court made an order May 12 granting a new trial.

Louis Costello of New Geneva was convicted of statutory rape and fornication and was sentenced to the penitentiary on behalf of his 14-year-old daughter Mary. All are Italians and Costello was a boarder in the Ambrose family when the offense was committed.

Peter Scopp was convicted in Judge Reppert's court Thursday on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He, along with six others, was arrested in North Union township April 24 for disorderly conduct and taken before Squire Walt of Oliver, where separate charges of carrying concealed weapons were made against four of the number. Of these three entered pleas of guilty and paid a fine of \$35 and costs, in all about \$80.

D. J. Hyer, proprietor of the Uniontown Fish & Poultry Market, has sold his business to J. A. Rockwell and S. W. Smith. Rockwell was formerly yardmaster at Connetquot No. 2 while Smith was clerkkeeper at Connetquot No. 1. Mr. Hyer will remain with the new firm for a short time. He was convicted a few days ago of receiving stolen goods, which consisted in buying chickens which is lately developed had been stolen.

A telegram was received here Thursday afternoon from Harrisburg saying that the hearing in the matter of the application for a charter for a second water company for Uniontown had been fixed for June 22. The movement for the new company was started some months ago and the town council have granted them privilege to do business in the borough. Owen R. Brownfield has letters already from several concerns making inquiry about the matter and with an adequate water supply it is believed that there will be no difficulty about getting plenty of manufacturing enterprises. In case a charter is granted, the company will begin operations as soon thereafter as possible. Where the supply is to be brought from is not yet definitely determined, but it is likely that a large pipe line will be laid to a point on the Upper Cheat or Monongahela rivers.

The case of John Donohue, John Leonard and Thomas Leonard, charged with larceny and receiving stolen goods, was tried Wednesday afternoon before Judge Umbs. Joe Mallory, arrested at the same time, pleaded guilty and was sent to the work house. Some weeks ago a telescope containing some clothing, etc., was taken from the railroad station in Brownsville. It was soon recovered in the possession of the four men on the Washington county side of the river. The other defendants claimed Mallory brought the telescope to them and that they did not know that it had been stolen. On motion of W. E. Cross, attorney for defendants, the pleas of guilty entered in the cases of Frank Nyeum and Westley Means, were allowed. The pleas of guilty were not guilty entered. Both defendants were arrested some time ago as alleged members of the gang of chicken thieves who operated so long in Uniontown. In the confession of Smith Connor who is now in the work house, these two men, with others, were implicated. The charges are larceny, entering in the night time with intent to commit a felony and receiving stolen goods. The hills will now be presented to the grand jury.

## Myers' Condition Unchanged.

The condition of A. B. Myers, of Pennsville, who is at the Cottage State Hospital suffering from a fractured skull the result of an accident at Seaford some days ago, is unchanged today. Grave fears for his recovery are entertained.

## Jurors for Next Week Excused.

Uniontown, June 10.—There will be no court next week and the jurors drawn for service then are excused by the court.

## TEACHERS ELECTED.

The Scottsdale School Board Chooses Principal and Teachers.

## SEVERAL CHANGES ARE MADE.

An Increase of Wages Given in the High School—New Principal is Elected—Term Opens September 5 For Nine Months.

Scottsdale, June 10.—The School Board met last evening and elected principal and teachers for the year. The new principal is Edgar Reed, who was principal of the Milton, Pa. High School and who is a graduate of Bucknell University, class of 1900. The place pays what it did last year, \$125 per month.

Prof. C. L. Dinger and Miss Lorella Mitchell were re-elected to the High School. The salary of the former was increased from \$80 to \$90 per month and that of the latter from \$70 to \$75 per month.

The teachers elected were Misses Maud Ruth, Florence Hill, Addie Randolph, Carolyn Dodge, Louise Kerr, Grace Mumaw, Maude A. Loucks, Laura Mumaw, Bessie Miller, Myrtle Herbert, May Parker, Mina G. Wiley, Mary Sherick, Helen E. Porter, Henrietta McCarty, Mary J. Singer and M. Dora McCormick.

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## PATENT AIR BRAKE.

Greensburg Conductor Has Made Valuable Invention.

John Riley, of East Greensburg, a popular conductor on the Southwest railroad, has filed application at Washington for an improvement to the Westinghouse air brake that will prove of great value and importance in railroading. It is an air brake retainer, and is calculated to give engineers absolute control of heavy trains on steep grades. By the present air brake system, engineers in applying the air brakes, coming down the mountains or other steep grades, exhaust the supply of compressed air in the tanks. In pumping more air into the tank, the grip or pressure on the brakes is released and the momentum for velocity of the train increased.

## LEWIS FOUND GUILTY.

Negro Will Be Punished for Assaulting the Solomon Girl.

Uniontown, June 10.—[Special.]—Wesley Lewis, colored, was this morning found guilty of assault and battery with intent to ravish. The crime for which Lewis will suffer the penalty of the law was committed some weeks ago at Olyphant, where Lewis assaulted a white child named Solomon.

The defendant bitterly denied the charge, saying that he was asleep at his home at the time the assault was alleged to have been committed. The identification of the prisoner by the girl, however, was positive. Lewis is one of the four negroes tried for the murder of Hiram McMillan near Olyphant two years ago.

## KURTZ IS MANAGER.

Former Connellsville Boy Secures a Good Position at Kane.

Charles M. Kurtz, a former Connellsville boy, a son of the late J. M. Kurtz, vice president of the First National Bank of Connellsville, and a brother of A. B. Kurtz, the main street jeweler, has been made manager of factory No. 5 of the American Window Glass Company at Kane, Pa. He has been for several years a trusted employee of that company, having been as a shipping clerk, and by the faithful and able performance of his duties in that position was promoted to the assistant manager two years ago. He has had many years' experience in the window glass trade, and is a young man of much ability.

## School Board Meeting.

The Uniontown School Board organized Thursday evening and elected J. R. Reigan president; R. J. McGee, secretary, and C. B. Franks, treasurer. The newly elected members were Riddle Hornbeck of Dickerson Run and Isaac Ball of Monroeth, and the retiring members were C. C. Collins of Vanderhill and G. E. Graham of Leasburg. The tax was levied at the rate of 6 mills. The principals' salaries for the year are as follows: Vanderhill, \$80; rooms 4, 5 and 6, \$80, and No. 2, \$50. The board will meet Monday, June 27, at the Hotel Columbia, New Haven, to elect the principals for the coming year.

## Arrested Cattle.

Patrolman Frank McCormick arrested four head of cattle on the streets this morning. They are held in the borough pound to await the coming of their owners.

## No Hearing.

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The will of Catharine Pratts, late of German township, has been probated, and the duties and funeral expenses of her estate will be paid. To Emma Pratts, after her death, her son, while all the rest of her property was given to the sister, Anna Pratts, to hold and use during her lifetime. After her death, all goes to Samuel F. Pratts and his children. This was a new twist to what ever was settled up. The will is dated December 19, 1887 and names Samuel Pratts as executor. J. M. Marshall and J. M. Thompson are subscribing witnesses.

Alex. Lancaster was brought to jail from Brownsville Wednesday on charge of false pretenses, assault and battery. The prosecutor on the former charge was James H. Gray and on the latter, Michael Tori. The committing magistrate was Squire Charles W. Bowman.

## Worked All Night.

The trackmen of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company worked all night on the change in the tracks on Main street. This morning the through cars were running over the new tracks. The siding along Main street will be rapidly completed, and work will be immediately started on the rebuilding of the Suburban division.

Dr. McCormick a Director. At a meeting of the stockholders of the Second National Bank of Connellsville Thursday afternoon Dr. L. P. McCormick was elected a director in the bank to succeed his father, the late J. T. McCormick, who was president of the bank. Worth Kilpatrick was elected president and Cal. J. M. Reid was elected vice president.

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CONFLUENCE.

### Interesting Items from Somerset

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A. A. CLARKE.

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Rockwell of Dawson will deliver a series of lectures on the subject of "The Art of the Detective" at the University of Toronto.

## Specials in Velvet Carpets This Week.

RETURNING FROM GREENGLASS

trip, tickets good going on morning trains. to return until June 13, inclusive.

SECRET



# Wright-Metzler Company.

ONE PRICE. THE DAYLIGHT STORE. THE RIGHT PRICE.

## Four Extraordinary Millinery Values.

In every business establishment, either large or small, stocks become broken and while there is left what some merchants would consider a large assortment among the four groups of hats we have reduced. The volume of business our millinery department is doing compel us to consider them broken lots and reduce them and sell them quickly to make room for the new goods which arrive daily.

### Ladies' Untrimmed Chiffon Hats, —Black Only.—

There are about twenty of these assorted shapes in values up to \$1.50. The price they go at..... **98c**

### Untrimmed Braid Hats, —Blue, Brown and Tan.—

These are in an assortment of shapes and any one of them worth \$1.25. To close them out..... **69c**

### A Group of Trimmed Hats at \$2.69.

This assortment consists of about 30 hats in a large variety of shapes and all of them beautifully trimmed. This is an unusual opportunity to purchase a pretty hat and you can find among them one to suit you.

### Cuban Flats

For Children. Prettily trimmed with flowers and ribbon. Values up to \$1.50, at..... **98c**

### A Special Value in Dressing Sacques.

We have just received a large shipment of these very seasonable garments and through price concessions made us in the purchasing of them, we are in a position to offer very special values. One in particular, made of white Persian lawn, thirty rows of tucks at neck. Cuffs and collar prettily trimmed with embroidery. Pink or blue ribbon ties..... **\$1.00**

### A Cool Soft Hat.

Plenty of men prefer a soft hat to a straw, and to these we wish to say that we have an assortment of styles in summer weight soft hats in black, brown, tan or grey that cannot be equaled in variety or price. We have an especially good number in a very light weight at..... **\$1.50**

Others at prices ranging from 50c to \$3.00

## One of These New Crash Skirts

As a Valuable Addition to Your Summer Wardrobe.

We could talk a whole lot about these skirts, in fact there is nothing about them that we can't talk about. Every seam faced with braid, silk belts, self-trimmed with tabs and buttons. They are in walking lengths, in tans and grays. You will seldom if ever find a skirt made in every little detail as perfectly as these at \$7.50, and we are able to offer them at..... **\$5.50**

## Our World's Fair Skirt.

If you contemplate a trip to St. Louis, it wouldn't be a bad scheme to have a look at these, anyway. They are made up in blue and black Mohair, a fabric which only requires a shake or two to free it from all dust, and restore to it its natural luster. They are stylishly made and perfect in fit. We show them in two prices..... one at **\$3.98**, another at **\$5.00**

## Shirt Waist Elegance

Combined With Durability, Economy and Comfort.

And you can't ask more than this. They are of White Jap Silk, very prettily trimmed. Some of them with Val. Lace and tucks, some with Lace Medallions and Val. Lace. There couldn't be anything cooler, and then Jap Silk is a wash fabric, which enhances the value of these waists greatly.

**\$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50 up to \$7.50.**

## DISTINCTIVE STYLES

## Shirt Waist Suits.

There is a certain distinctiveness in style and perfection in the fit of these WRIGHT-METZLER Shirt Waist Suits which don't seem to be in some others that we see. But, of course, there is a reason for all things, and consequently a reason for this. We do not consider a suit offered us a bargain just because a low price is quoted. We consider perfection in workmanship and fit the paramount requisites, and when we find these, our facilities for handling large quantities and buying on a strictly cash basis, enables us to quote prices which are very evidently appreciated. We are showing a large variety of new styles in blue, gray, tan and champagne colored Chambrays with the new blouse waist, large sleeves, turn-over cuff, prettily trimmed..... **\$2.50, \$3.98 and \$5.00**

## FROM NEARBY TOWNS.

### SCOTSDALE.

Breezy Paragraphs Picked Up in the Mill Town.

Scottdale, June 10.—Mrs. E. L. Babb is spending several days in Pittsburgh this week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Baker of Ruffsdale was calling on friends here Tuesday.

John Townsend, Sr., of Perryopolis, is spending several days this week visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Strickler, Chestnut street.

W. T. Carroll of Uniontown was a business visitor here on Wednesday. Frank Galley resigned his position with Owens & Ferguson, the first of this week, to accept a similar position with Murphy & Co. His successor at Owens & Ferguson is Watson Brown of Virginia, who was formerly employed with the H. C. Frick Coke Company.

F. H. Letzler, S. J. Zentley, C. A. Colborn and John Sisley were business visitors to Ambleridge on Wednesday.

Samuel C. Gray of the 1901 graduating class of the Scottdale High School has entered Ada College at Ada, O., for a ten months' course. Mr. Gray expects to enter the Jefferson Medical College at Philadelphia in 1904.

The Frick ball team of Scottdale will go to Dawson tomorrow to meet the Dawson team. They will leave about one o'clock on wagons. They have also scheduled a game with the Frick team of Pittsburgh for Saturday afternoon, June 18, at 3:30 o'clock in Lookers park. They will play for the Frick championship and an exciting game is anticipated.

A number of persons about town who have been "pinched" for fast driving are wondering whether the fast driving ordinance applies to the speed of an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Stoner, M. B. Porter and daughter, Miss Helen E., and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Berg were at Uniontown, Wednesday, attending the State Prohibition Convention.

W. F. Stauffer, cashier of the Scottdale Bank, went to Philadelphia on Tuesday morning for a business trip. He will be gone a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keister and son, Albert, Jr., left Monday morning to visit the St. Louis Exposition and expects to also visit relatives in Kansas before returning.

The children of St. John's parochial school will hold their "May Day" tomorrow. This is always a very pleasant day for the children and affords them a nice day's outing. Those attending are expected to take their lunch and the pastor will furnish them with ice cream and pop free. All former pupils of the school are also invited.

F. B. Nichols has resigned his position with the Broadway Department Store and expects to leave in a couple of days for Latrobe, where he will

take charge of the big department store of John B. Anderson. Mr. Nichols has made a host of friends while here who will be sorry to see him leave.

Bert J. Strickler has accepted a position with the Scottdale Savings & Trust Company and went on duty Monday.

The union prayer meeting in the M. E. Church on Wednesday was well attended and much interest was manifested in the meeting.

The storm doors have been taken off the front of the New Scottdale House office.

### DAWSON.

Live Notes From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough.

Dawson, June 9.—Mr. Show, successor to Don & Company, Insurance agents at Connelville, was in town Wednesday and Thursday. He is secretary of the Colonial Savings Company of Pennsylvania and of which he is trying to organize a branch here. From the encouragement he has gotten there is no doubt but that he will succeed.

Miss Emma B. Jones was at Greensburg Sunday paying her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones, a visit.

Arthur Love, the well known humorist who sells pianos, was in our town Thursday with a broad smile on his face for his friends, who are many.

Samuel Hoke, who has been seriously ill for months past, was able to come into town last Saturday. He lives about one mile from town.

Read The Courier for all the news. One cent a copy.

George C. McGill, one of our prominent business men, was in Pittsburgh and Donora Tuesday and Wednesday on a business trip.

R. H. Wright has been appointed Burgess to succeed George H. Kuhn, who resigned that office.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church have elected Miss Mary Mong and Miss Emma Jones as delegates to the county convention that meets in Smithfield June 23 and 24.

C. O. Schroyer, the hardware man, was in Pittsburgh Thursday transacting business.

William Fox who is employed by Demmler, came up and spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. John K. Fox.

Mrs. Martha of Pittsburgh was a visitor this week at the home of Mrs. S. B. Cochran.

Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran has purchased the property on the corner of Railroad avenue and Grismore street. It belonged to the James Cochran estate. It is understood there will be some improvements made to it.

Rafferty Hagarty is at St. Louis taking in the sights at the fair for the past ten days.

Waller Richter, a popular young man living near town, and Miss Taylor were married June 2 at the Pres-

### Denial by Defendants.

Declare They Did Not Mismanage Oil Company.

Greensburg, June 9.—James A. Kahan, D. D. McManis, heart testimony Wednesday in the suit in equity brought against the Hardy Oil & Gas Company, the stockholders of which are prominent business men of New Kensington. The company was organized two years ago with a capital of \$5,000. It started operations in Belmont county, O., where it had 1,200 acre-lease and they drilled a 22 wells. The value of the stock jumped to \$2,200 per share from \$50 per share and last September it began paying \$17 a month dividend on each share. On October 1, 1902, a pool was formed and 22 shares were transferred to John L. Armitage, E. N. Wilson, E. J. Shickler, S. R. Seybold and Charles Shultz, who were appointed trustees. The plaintiff claimed that they had no control of their stock after the pool.

The defendants deny mismanagement or irregularities. They are John L. Armitage, Edward J. Shickler, S. R. Seybold, Charles Shultz, Frank Zilmer, H. Burns Smith, Isaac Claster, David B. Webb, Daniel Sullivan, David B. Doty, M. J. Kahle, Robert G. Shepard, M. E. Shickler, B. C. Dooreland, R. J. Davis, Henry M. Keer, A. Reibinger, F. B. Wehring, Daniel Burns and David B. Bevan. The plaintiffs are John C. Morgan, R. J. Nichols, P. L. Priestley, F. A. Blosser, L. P. Shaner, Charles W. Hill, C. W. Boucher, E. B. Patton, W. S. Reeves and J. Frank Johnston.

G. A. R. ELECTS OFFICERS.

State Encampment Big Success With Large Crowd.

Gettysburg, June 9.—The present State Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at this place is one of the best ever held by the veterans of the civil war. Every hotel is crowded and the town presents a holiday appearance. From nearly every house the National colors are displayed and many buildings are hidden in a wealth of decorations.

At the business meeting of the G. A. R. the following officers were unanimously elected. Department commander, John P. McGinley, of Altoona; senior vice commander, W. H. Brennan, Lancaster; junior vice commander, J. T. Vose, Tanhannock; chaplain, John W. Sayers, of Chester. This makes the thirty-third time Chaplain Sayers has been elected for this position. Reading was selected as the next place of meeting.

The Women's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the G. A. R. were also in session here. They report an increase of membership and better financial condition.

### C. T. A. U. CONVENTION.

New Officers and Delegates Chosen at Irwin Wednesday.

Irwin, June 9.—The C. T. A. U. convention of the P. T. A. U. was held at Irwin Wednesday. The convention was held at the Irwin Hotel. The delegates were chosen at the Irwin Hotel. The convention was held at the Irwin Hotel.

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### MOTHER HIS ARBITER.

John P. Wallace Took Panama Engagement on Her Advice.

It was Mrs. David A. Wallace who advised her son, John P. Wallace, to accept the position of chief engineer of the Panama Canal. Mrs. Wallace is a well known social worker and has been active in many of the city's charitable organizations.

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## The Coming Games:

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